

## **1214.302**

list, the contracting officer shall provide a written notification of acceptance or non-acceptance to the applicant within 45 days of application receipt.

(d) Requests for supplemental information shall normally be attached to the SF 129 and forwarded to potential suppliers for completion.

### **Subpart 1214.3—Submission of Bids**

#### **1214.302 Bid submission.**

(b) Contracting officers may permit telegraphic bids to be communicated by means of a telephone call from the telegraph office to the designated office provided that procedures and controls have been established by the COCO for receiving and safeguarding these incoming bids.

## **PART 1215—CONTRACTING BY NEGOTIATION**

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### **Subpart 1215.2—Solicitation and Receipt of Proposals and Information**

#### **1215.204 Contract format.**

##### **1215.204-3 Contract clauses.**

The contracting officer shall insert clause (TAR) 48 CFR 1252.215-70, Key

## **48 CFR Ch. 12 (10-1-04 Edition)**

Personnel and/or Facilities, in solicitations and contracts when the selection for award is substantially based on the offeror's possession of special capabilities regarding personnel and/or facilities.

#### **1215.207-70 Handling proposals and information.**

(a) Offerors' proposals and information received in response to a request for information shall be marked as required by TAM 1203.104-5, as applicable.

(b) Proposals may be released outside the Government if it is necessary to receive the most competent technical and/or management evaluation available.

#### **Subpart 1215.4—Contract Pricing**

##### **1215.404 Proposal analysis.**

##### **1215.404-470 Payment of profit or fee.**

The contracting officer shall not pay profit or fee on undefinitized contracts or undefinitized contract modifications. Any profit or fee earned shall be paid after the contract or modification is definitized.

#### **Subpart 1215.6—Unsolicited Proposals**

##### **1215.602 Policy.**

It is the policy of the Department of Transportation (DOT) to encourage the submission of new and innovative ideas which will support DOT's mission. Through the various Operating Administrations (OA), DOT is responsible for transportation safety improvements and endorsement, international transportation agreements and the continuity of transportation services in the public interest.

##### **1215.603 General.**

DOT will accept for review and consideration, unsolicited proposals from any entity. However, DOT will not pay any costs associated with the preparation of these proposals. Proposals which do not meet the definition and applicable content and marking requirements of (FAR) 48 CFR 15.6 will not be considered under any circumstances and will be returned to the submitter.